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AMENDMENT "A" PRIOR TO ACTION

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10 INVENTION: "METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR
DETERMINING AT LEAST ONE DIGITAL VALUE
FROM AN ELECTRICAL SIGNAL."

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15 Sir:

Applicants herewith amend the above-referenced PCT application,
and request entry of the Amendment prior to examination on the United
States National Examination Phase.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

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insert the following above line 3:

-TITLE

**METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR DETERMINING AT LEAST ONE
DIGITAL SIGNAL FROM AN ELECTRICAL SIGNAL**

BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION

The present invention relates to a method and an arrangement for
determining at least one digital signal from an electrical signal. --;

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Equalization by Alternating Minimization for Applications to
Mobilecommunications", Globecom '95, IEEE Global